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AD ACCIDENT

AVERTED TODAY (Special from United Press.)

ed. Sept. 1.-A bad accident might have cost several lives as narrowly averted to-day when ineer William Shove of Millerton, Engineer William Shove of Millerton, driving an east-bound freight on the Central New England Railway noticed the sparks from a blazing trestle directly ahead and brought his train to a standstill within 20 feet of the mouth of the gully which it spanned. The fire is supposed to have been caused by sparks from a locomotive. All passenger, mail and express traffic was transferred at this point today but repairs to the structure will probably be completed late this afternoon.

Metallic chromium is now a commercial article and can be obtained in a ligh degree of purity.

The German Government is sending pooking schools in charge of experts to ill portions of the Empire.

More coal is mined by machinery, in reportion to the total output, in Ohio is in any other State.

In this city, Aug. 31, 1909, et, widow of James Dunn. onds are invited to attend the 1 from her late residence, No. ack Rock avenue, on Friday, 3, at 8:30 a. m. and from Sa-Heart church at 9 a. m. with

ent at St. Michael's ceme NN.-Ln this city, Aug. 31, 1909, trick Quinn. Friends are invited to attend the

nered from the residence of his ughter, Mrs. Charles Ives, 383 uth avenue, on Thursday, at 7:45 a. and from Sacred Heart church if a. m. at Windsor Locks L 31 b *

Cemetery.

L 31 b

ADE—In this city, Aug. 30, 1909,
Catherine T. Wade, widow of Patrick
Wade, aged 65 years,

—Friends are invited to attend the
tuneral at her late residence, No. 361
South avenue, on Thursday, Sept. 2,
at 3:30 a, m. and from Sacred Heart
church at 9 a. m., with solemn high

Interment at St. Michael's ceme-L 31 b*

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Nothing escapes the eye of our pet catbird, for he is curiosity personi fied. He wants to know the why and wherefore of everything that is a little strange and does not rest until he has found out. When let out in a room he will carefully examine every nook and corner. He is an inveterate joker and delights to play jokes on his fellow prisoners, while his sense of humor is almost humon at times. The pincushion is a constant wonder and delight to him. He flies to it as soon as let out of his cage and either pulls the pins all out or drives them into the cushion as far as possible. If he pulls them out, he hops to the edge of the table and drops them on the floor, flirting his tail and uttering a note of great satisfaction when they strike the floor.-Suburban Life.

He was an Englishman of the ultra sort and recently arrived, but he was striving strenuously to catch up with American idioms and New York slang. He had made some progress. He loomed up in the breakfast room of his hotel the other morning after a too convivial evening and encountered one of his companions.

"How do you feel, old chap?" asked the latter.

"Feel?" repeated the Englishman "Feel? Oh, yes, I see what you mean, old fellow. Well, really, don't you know, I feel like one and six." "Like what?"

"Like one and six, as you chaps say here. No! Hold on, there! I mean 30 cents, you know; feel like 30 cents. Yes."-New York Globe

Convenient. "Providence." said the deacon, "sho do look after de cullud race."

"How come?" demanded Brother Dickey "Well, hit's disaway: De nigger baby,

ez dey say, walk too soon.' "Sho do!" assented Brother Dickey. "Dat makes him bowlegged."

"Now you talkin'!" "An' bowlegs is de mos' convenient est legs in de worl' fer climbin' a tree w'en a possum's on de top limb!"-Ex-

A Brief Introduction.

Mark Twain said the only introduction to a literary audience that seemed to him the right word in the right place, a real inspiration, was as follows:

"Ladies and gentlemen, I shall not waste any unnecessary time in the introduction. I don't know anything about this man-at least I only know wo things about him. One is that he has never been in prison, and the other is I can't see why he hasn't."

An Illustration.

"Now, Harold," said the teacher to small but unusually bright pupil, give an illustration of the superiority of mind over matter.

After a moment's reflection Harold replied: "I have to mind you. That's what is the matter."-Chicago News.

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1,000 Lbs Fancy Steak Cod Lb 6c Fresh Shore Haddock Lb 3c **Boston Blue Fish** Lb 4c Fresh Cod Fish, Small

Fancy Sugar Cured Rymp Corned Beef Lb OC

Fresh Cut Hamburger

THRONGS ATTEND

Enthusiasm for More Good Roads in State Expressed at Plattsville Today

Speeches by Everett Lake, Congressman Hill, Highway Commissioner Macdonald and Others-Concert by Wheeler & Wilson Band.

The heavy clouds of this morning broke this afternoon and allowed the sun to shine upon the large gathering of people at the celebration of the opening of the new Plattsville road. The exercises opened with several hundred people present. A concert was rendered by the Wheeler & Wilson band.

At 3 o'clock the speechmaking comnenced. Speeches were made by former Lieut. Governor Everett J. Lake, State Highway Commissioner James H. Macdonald, Congressman Ebenezer J. Hill, Mayor Henry Lee, and City Clerk Edward T. Buckingham, M. E. Banks of Plattsville was the chairman

The county commissioners, Messrs. Meade, Pease and Brophy who are more responsible for the fine new road than anyone else were present as guests of honor with County Sheriff Sidney E. Hawley.

Several scores of motorists including many members from the automobile club of Bridgeport were present, parking space for the cars being reserved near the speaker's stand.

It is believed that the formal opening of the road will do more to build up a more enthusiastic sentiment for

up a more enthusiantic sentiment for good roads than the opening of any other road in the state where the practice has been to throw open new highways without ceremony after the expenditure of much money and labor. H. H. Jackson, the hustling book store man of this city was on hand and secured some pictures for souve-nir postal cards.

MRS. FARIST'S WILL

Bulk of Estate Equally Divided Between Daughter and Son. The will of the late Martha A. Far

The will of the late Martha A. Farist, widow of Joel Farist, founder of the Farist steel works, was admitted to probate this afternoon.

The testatrix bequeaths \$300 to her brother. Nathaniel H. Wood; \$100 to her sister-in-law. Martha A. Wood; \$1,000 to Joel Farist in trust for her grandson, Charles A. Farist; and \$2,000 to Arthur E. Penfield in trust for his daughter. Florence E. Penfield. The rest and residue she directs shall be divided equally between her daughter, Lulu E. Farist and her son, Joel W. Farist.

Joel W. Farist qualified 4s executor. Joel W. Farist qualified as executor. Ralph T. Beers and George Windsor qualified as appraisers.

BUILDERS SUE

MANUFACTURERS

The McFarlane Brothers Manufacturing Co., of this city have been named as defendants in a suit brought by Casey & Hurley, building contractors, in which the latter claim \$1,000 damages. The plaintiffs allege that in the construction of a building for the defendants they were instructed by defendants they were instructed by the president of the McFarlane Company to interchange a window for a door and a door for a window, the de-fendant company aggreeing to pay for such expenses. Other minor details were gone into and changed at the suggestion of the defendants. A bill was presented for the alterations, but the company has refused to ompany has refused to pay, the

HARRY "FITZ" WAS ASSAULTED BY

NEW HAVEN WAITER

Harry Fitzgerald, who has worked in several local restaurants and whose home is at 1461 Main street, went to Lighthouse Point, New Haven yester-day to assist at the banquet which the Elm city officers tendered the police baseball team from this city. When dered Fitzgerald to move the tables out of the dining room. The Bridge-port waiter objected and a lively fight ensued, Fitzgerald although holding his own receiving a lacerated wound on the lower lip. When he arrived to the lower lip. in this city he went to the Emergency hospital where Dr. Kiernan treated his injury.

Deaths and Funerals

Bridget widow of James Dunn, died yesterday afternoon at her home, 205 Black Rock avenue after a brief ill-ness. She is survived by one son, Michael, and three daughters, Mrs. Nellie Foster, Delia and Margaret

FRACTURED SPINE WHILE DIVING AND DIED TODAY

(Special from United Press.)

New Haven, Sept. 1.—John Bechel, aged 21, who fractured his spine while diving in shallow water at Woodmont last Monday, died to-day last Monday, died to-day in St. Raphael's Hospital.

Department Store Thief

(Special from United Press.)

New Haven, Sept. 1.—Mary Powers, a young negress, was today fined \$7 and sentenced to 30 days in jail on the charge of theft from a department store and bound over to the next term of the Superior court on the charge of stealing \$1,000 worth of dresses from Mrs. Fahey of this city.

CHURCH GALLERY COLLAPSES TODAY, KILLING SEVERAL

(Special from United Press.)

Madrid, Sept. 1.—The lower gallery in one of the churches at Caicedo, Spain, collapsed to-day during a service, killing several persons and burying many under the ruins. Details of the accident have not been received.

EMINENT SURGEON DEAD AT PORTLAND

(Special from United Press.)
Portland, Me., Sept. 1.—Stephen H.
Weeks, famous as the first surgeon to
make drainage tubes from the arteries
of animals, died here to-day. He was
74 years old. Dr. Weeks was a member of the International Medical Congress in Berlin during three different
sessions.

SEPTEMBER BRIDES

ROAD OPENING Three Weddings of Note in Local Catholic Churches

Today

St. Joseph's Church Thronged at the Callahan-Reck Nuptials-Many Present at Styles-Gaynor and Cannon-McKenna Weddings

Three weddings of much interest lo-

cally were solemnized in local Catholic churches to-day. At St. Joseph's church Dr. James Henry Callahan was married to Miss Harriet H. Reck, a nuptial mass following the ceremony. Rev. Hubert H. Dahme, rector of the church officiated first tleing the nupchurch officiated first tieing the nuptial knot after which he sang the mass. Within the chancel rails were Rev. Father Lynch, rector of St. Charles, and Rev. Father Callahan, curate at the same church, and Rev. Father Fitzgerald of New Haven. The music was by the St. Cecelia quartette and all of the details of the wedding program printed in the Farmer yesterday were carried out. The bride looked charming and the cosy little edifications a packed to the doors. Following was packed to the doors. Following the ceremony there was a wedding breakfast at the home of the mother of the bride to which upwards of 150 guests were bidden. The floral decorations at the church and the home were tions at the church and the home were most profuse and attracted no little favorable comment. Dr. Callahan was favorable comment. Dr. Callahan was attended by Mr. Joseph D. Hartigan. The bridesmaid was Miss Fiorence Callahan, sister of the groom and her handsome appearance was commented upon by the guests at the church. The ushers were Dr. William P. Healy and Attorney John Conville of New York, Dr. E. J. Larkin of Derby and Attorney E. F. Hallen of this city. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. John Reck, widow of the former widely known florist, and is a sister of

John Reck, widow of the former widely known florist, and is a sister of
Carl Reck who has succeeded to his
father's business. She recently returned from a prolonged stay to Germany. She is a young lady of many
agreeable traits of mind and character and is a pronounced favorite with
a legion of friends. There is no more
popular young man in town than Dr.
Henry Callahan as his friends like best
to call him. He is one of the foreto call him. He is one of the fore-most of the younger dental practition-ers of the State and has a host of friends. The young couple were lav-ished with beautiful wedding gifts. They left this afternoon for a honey-moon trip to Maine and will be gone about one month.

STYLES-GAYNOR

William A. L. Styles, M.D., of Mon real, Canada, and Miss Molly Caro line Gaynor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis J. Gaynor of 872 Park avenue, were united in marriage this morning were united in marriage this morning at 9 o'clock by the Rev. Father Swee-ney, with a nuptial mass, at Sacred Heart church. The bridesmaid was a sister of the bride, Miss Charlotte Re-gina Gaynor, and the best man was Dr. Edward F. McGovern. The ush-Dr. Edward F. McGovern. The usn-ers were four brothers of the bride, Arthur C., Frank A., Joseph F., and Edwin G. Gaynor. The bride wore an exquisite princess gown of Marquise lace over white satin, with a tulle veil and orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses and lilies of the valley. The bridesmaid wore a gown of crepe de chine with a white lace hat and carried pink tea roses. The bride was given away by her father, Dennis J. Gaynor. Elmer S. Joves organist of the First Presby-

her father, Dennis J. Gaynor. Ellmer S. Joyce, organist of the First Presbyterian church for fourteen years the bride's instructor in music, played:
Festal March, Calkins; Bridal March from Lohengrin; Bride Music from the Rose Maiden, Cowen; Spring Song, from Mendelssohn; Romance, from Sheiley; Wedding March, from Midsummer Night's Dream, Mendelssohn.
After the services a wedding break-

to match.

The bride is a very popular young lady and an accomplished planist, having long been prominent in the affairs of the Wednesday Afternoon Musical Club. Dr. Styles, who is a son of Mrs. Luke Styles of Montreal, is a graduate of McGill University of Montreal, where he received his degree in medicine in 1905. During his undergradicate days he was an excellent athicine in 1905. During his undergraduate days he was an excellent athlete, representing his college on the lacrosse and hockey teams. It was while he was acting as an interne at St. Vincent's hospital, this city, in 1906 that he met Miss Gaynor. Dr. Styles is at present a member of the staff of the Royal Victoria hospital of Montreal. He is a member of the Columbian city, the leading social organization of club, the leading social organization of Montreal. Dr. and Mrs. Styles after their wedding tour will reside at 251 Prince Arthur street, West, Montreal.

M'KENNA-CANNON

Mr. James J. Cannon and Miss Mary E. McKenna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. McKenna were wedded with a nuptial mass in St. Peter's church at 8 this morning. The celebrant was the pastor, Rev. Thos. J. Kelly. The bride was attended by Miss Catherine Donohue as maid of honor and the best man was Mr. Jas. Edward McKenna, brother of the

The bride was charmingly attired in a gown of embroidered white silk, and the maid of honor was attired in a gown of brown silk and crepe de chine. Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, 1133 How-ard avenue. Members of the families ard avenue. and their immediate friends were in

Mr. and Mrs. Cannon left on a noor Mr. and Mrs. Cannon left on a noon train for Atlantic City where they will spend their honeymoon. The groom who is a popular young man is in the railway mail service. The bride is a sister to Maurice F. Mc-Kenna, the city engineer. Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Cannon will make their home in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Cannon were the recipients of numerous appropriate gifts. of numerous appropriate gifts.

WALL STREET TO-DAY.

(Special from United Press.)
New York, Sept. 1.—(Opening.)—
Leading issues showed losses ranging
from fractions to one point at the opening of the stock market to-day. Union Pacific, Southern Pacific and Reading showed fractional losses. At

the end of the first five minutes a steady tone developed.

11 a. m.—There was little pressure in the letter part of the first hour, Union and Southern Pacific showing a steadier tone while Reading moved up the evecution of a few huying oron the execution of a few buying or-ders. Increased attention was given the M. K. & T. issues, the common moving up over a point. Government bonds unchanged; other

Noon .- After the first hour the mark et ruled extremely dull. One of the specialties advanced with vigor. Kan-sas Missouri and Western rose a point. In the early afternoon the market was

—A marriage license was issued this morning to Jerome A. Lashar, mechanic and Miss Irene T. Hallam, daughter of William Hallam both of this city.

ANN O'DELIA DISS DE BAR, SOUGHT BY BRITISH AND

AMERICAN POLICE



Accused of using two women theo ophists of New York, Mrs. Lillian H. French and Mrs. Frances Belden, sisters, as dupes in a scheme to part wealthy men from their money, the well known schemer Ann O'Delia Diss De Bar turned up again in New York, the scene of her best known exploit. When Mrs. French and Mrs. Bell turned against Mrs. Diss De Bar, Mrs. Jackson, as she now prefers to be known, the woman disappeared She has figured in many schemes, in She has figured in many schemes, including the promotion of new and strange cults, in many parts of the world for thirty years. Her most noted feat was the defrauding of Luther R. Marsh, a well known New York lawyer, under the guise of selling him pictures produced by spirits. For this she served a term in prison. In 1901 she and her latest husband, Theodore Jackson, were sent to iall in England Jackson, were sent to jail in England for robbing and ruining young girls under pretense of converting them to a new religion. Jackson is still in jail but Diss De Bar was released on pa-role. Violating English law, she came to America, and the police of Great Britain are anxious to lay hands on her again.

Coal Selling for Less Here Than in New York

Domestic users of coal will probably see before Winter sets in an increase of at least 25 cents per ton on all anthracite, with a possibility of another 25 cents tacked on before the Winter season has finished its course. Coal was advanced 25 cents a ton during the latter part of July, but at during the latter part of July, but at the present time is selling much cheaper in this city than in New York which is much nearer the coal fields.

A local dealer said to-day: "The lower price here is maintained largely to induce the purchase of coal in large quantities in the summer months, the price in other years being raised 10 cents a month as winter approaches. This year coal consumers falled to take advantage of the reduction as they did in other years. There was so much strike talk before the agreement

they did in other years. The much strike talk before the with the miners expired that the co sumers, apparently, became used to it, and even when the stage was reached when a strike became inevitable, were

THREE MEN KILLED

Shelley; Wedding March, from and Shelley; Wedding March, from and Shelley; Wedding March, from and Summer Night's Dream, Mendelssohn.

After the services a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride on Park avenue. Late this afternoon Dr. and Mrs. Styles departed for a trip through Canada. Mrs. Styles train orashed into the rear end of a work train on the Huntington and Broad Top railroad near Riddlesburg.

Bedford, Pa., Sept. 1.—1...

wreck was due to the mistake of the operator who permitted the worktrain to go on the single track on which the double-header freight was approach-

ROAD WORK

BEING DONE glance.

(Continued from First Page.) tain its State aid roads. When any town neglected to do so, the law was such that the State could not enter upon that road for the purpose of making a repair until the town had made good the processes lost through inattention and neglect.

This, naturally, was a handicap to a

prompt and proper rehabilitation of the State aid roads, for in some in stances towns failed to "make good" Under the present law, however, a fund has been created for the purpose of enforcing repairs in such instances Upon failure of a town to take care of its State roads, the State is author-ized to enter that town, make the repair, and charge the cost up against the town as a penalty for its derelic-

That something must be done to offset the deterioration caused by auto-mobile has become apparent. Watering roads is in many cases prohibitive. The next best thing, naturally, is applying oil, or some other dust layer or preservative, as a make-weight for the dust. To this end, Commissioner Macdonald has resorted to the use of oil, and several sprinkling carts are busily at work on the main roads— macadam—in the State.

Residents of this city and Fairfield county can congratulate themselves on the fact that the improvement of the main trunks converging at the various centers is in a good way to become an assured fact, for with the contracts already running a number of the poor sections of road in this locality will be

ANOTHER SHARK CAPTURED TODAY NEAR WOODY CREST

(Special from United Press.) Woodmont, Sept. 1.—A shark nine eet long and weighing about 400 pounds was captured near Crest to-day, making the second with-in two weeks to be caught in these waters. Ex-Sergeant J. Orr and F. M. Newman of New Haven claim the hon-

CONNECTICUT MAN LEFT \$9,000,000

(Special from United Press.) New London, Sept. 1.—An inventory of the will of the late Sebastian D. Lawrence was filed in the probate court today. It shows that the experience of the september of the septe of the will of the late Sebastian D.
Lawrence was filled in the probate
court today. It shows that the estate which is disposed of in his will
published about six weeks ago,
amounts to \$9,000,000. The two principal items are railroad bonds amounting to \$2,778.567 and railroad stock ing to \$2,778,567, and railroad stock amounting to \$5,253,705 56,

HOWLAND'S

Entrances on Main street. Fairfield avenue and Cannon street.

Bridgeport, Conn. The Weather-Clearing and cooler Wednesday, Sept. 1, 1909. tonight; fair and cooler tomorrow.

A woman's suit at \$18 worth from \$20 to \$30. *

Some folks realized in an instant the bigness of this opportunity. Think of a suit of the very-newest style that can be bought right at the opening of the season for much less than its real value! Then you too will realize what the store's offer means.

These suits are result of a leading tailor's adaptation of the new Paris fashions. They are his idea of how those Parish fashions should be modified to be acceptable to American women. They have beauty as well as value, are made with rare skill and care, are fairly brilliant with individuality.

"Why then, Pray, are they sold at less than their real value?" asks somebody. Because they have been counted by the maker as a part of his work of preparing for the new season. He has put into them his brains and his time and skill and money. But he has gotten out of them what he sought; his models for the season. And now he is wise enough to sell them at a special price and plunge into the season's work. We bought them for less than real value. We sell them for less.

Just a very few are worth \$20; some are worth even more than \$30. But one price is fixed for any-

Blue suit for Boy.

Yes, a blue serge suit is going to give Boy a whole lot of service from now on. He can wear it clear up to the time when snow flies-and wear it with the sure knowledge that it looks well and is correct. And, you know, boys are just as much interested in having things right, as are grown-ups. We believed that when we opened the Boys' Shop—and we have found that our belief was right.

Here are blue serge suits of the Double-service family. They are all-wool serge of course: no other is worth while. They have two pairs of full-lined Knicker trousers. Their coats are cut full but they are smoothly and rightly. And they are either in plain or in a fancy and attractive weave.

All sizes from 7 to 17, \$6.50 and a good big money's-worth they are. Front basement.

Hand-embroidered and tailored waists of excellent linen.

That man who does things better than anybody else makes a success even though he does them only a little

We have found a waist-maker who makes a tailored waist of linen quite a bit better than anybody else. He is specialising on them—and his waists are just delightful. They are excellent linen, to start with. .They are

made upon new tailor-made models that are brimming with style and attraction. And then they are embroidered by hand in just the daintiest patterns that you can

But it is not possible to tell of these waists as they ought to be told of. Women will appreciate them at a

\$2.25 \$3 and to \$6.

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But it can do more than that. It can help you run your store, your office, your factory or your

It can carry your "little worries" for you-and never turn a hair. You do not fully use your newspaper if you simply read it. You don't really KNOW your newspaper until you have used its want advertising columns. It can dispose of things for you-it can secure things for you.

It can find lost things for you, find any kind of help you need, find buyers for your house, your lot, your horse, your furniture, your shop or store, leasehold or interest or equity. In short, any day, every day, this newspaper stands ready and able to DO THINGS FOR YOU!

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